

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

Complete if Known

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet

1

of

2

Application Number	Not Yet Assigned
Filing Date	August 3, 2006
First Named Inventor	Wolfgang Borchers
Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned
Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned

Attorney Docket Number 2003P15367WOUS

16AP20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 03 AUG 2006

PTO/SB/08b (05-03)

Approved for use through 04/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031

Approved for use through 04/30/2005. GMB 0851-0351  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO		<i>Complete if Known</i>	
<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b> <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>		Application Number	Not Yet Assigned <b>10/588353</b>
		Filing Date	August 3, 2006
		First Named Inventor	Wolfgang Borchers
		Group Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned
		Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Sheet	2	of	2
		Attorney Docket Number	
		2003P15367WOUS	

#### **OTHER PRIOR ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS**

<b>Examiner Signature</b>		<b>Date Considered</b>	
-------------------------------	--	----------------------------	--

**\*EXAMINER:** Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached. This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 120 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.